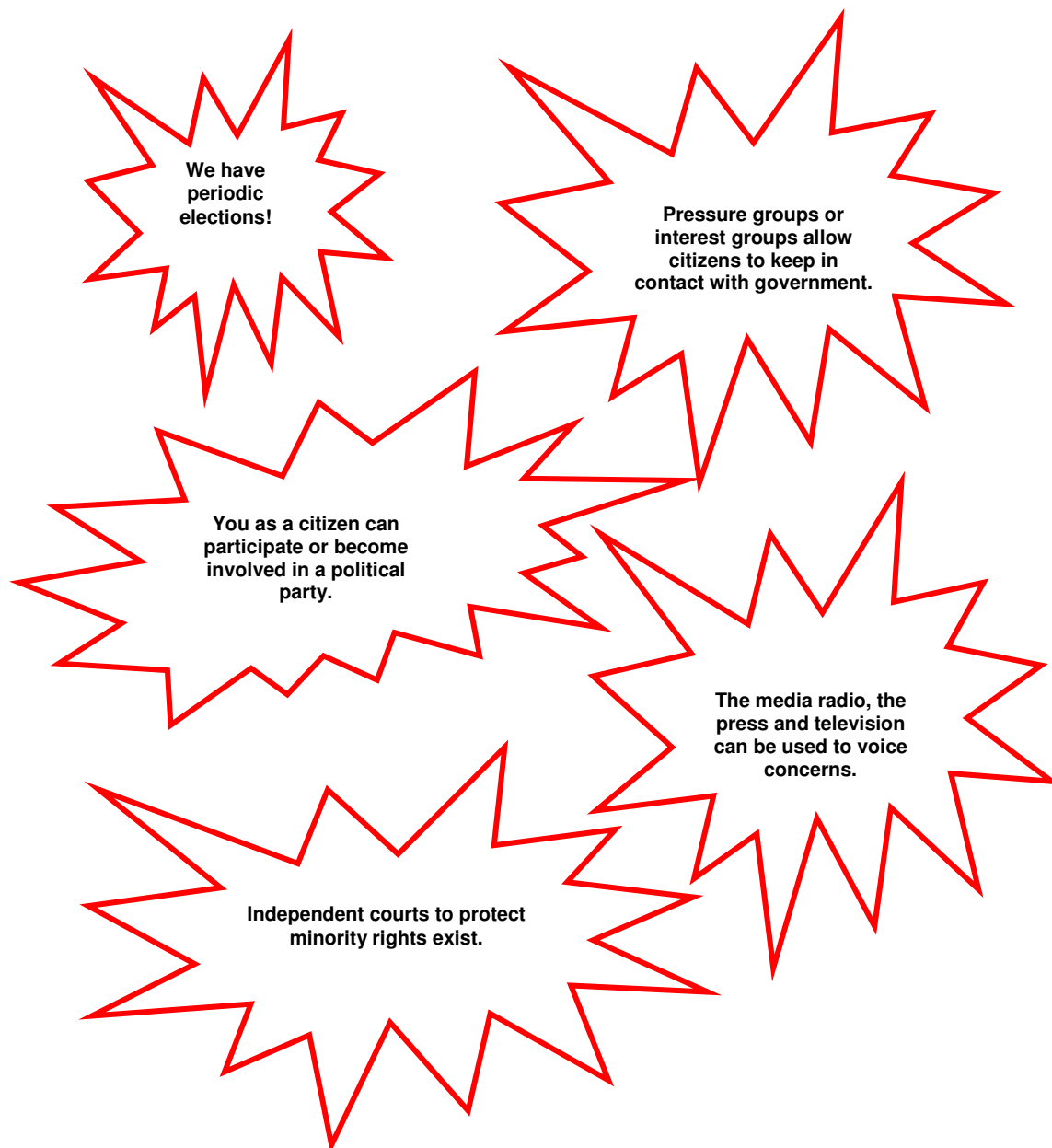


Powers of the Citizen

So how can you as a citizen of this country become involved in the decision making process?... How do we influence and put pressure on our government?...How does the democratic process ensure that the majority rule and at the same time, respect minority rights?



We have periodic elections!

Pressure groups or interest groups allow citizens to keep in contact with government.

You as a citizen can participate or become involved in a political party.

The media radio, the press and television can be used to voice concerns.

Independent courts to protect minority rights exist.